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# LIVINGSTON CLEGG MONTGOMERY



L. C. Montgomery was born October 3, 1888, in Heber City, Utah, son of Livingston and Amelia Ann Clegg Montgomery, Utah pioneers.

His early education was received in the Heber schools, completing his high school years after serving a mission for the LDS Church in the Northern States from 1909 to 1912. He attended Brigham Young University in Provo and was graduated from the University of Utah law school, coming to Heber City to practice law in 1916.

He married Edna Lodell, daughter of Joseph and Martha Lodell of Chicago, Illinois, in the Salt Lake Temple on February 3, 1921. They became the parents of two splendid sons, Robert L. Montgomery, a bank executive, and Edward L. Montgomery, a prominent attorney. There are five grandchildren.

Mr. Montgomery held many offices of trust. He was elected mayor of Heber City for one term and was a stalwart in the Democratic party in Utah. L. C., as he was called, was a fearless defender for the rights of the people of Wasatch County and served as county attorney for 22 years. He was president of the Utah Cattle and Horse Growers' Assn. for 17 years and in 1937 was named to a trade commission board by Gov. Henry H. Blood to investigate unfair trade practices. In 1941, L. C. was elected vice president of the American Livestock Assn. An outspoken positivist of the old school in the western livestock industry, Mr. Montgomery's influence was extensively felt in formulation of policies on grazing on the public domain. L. C. was a former member of the board of trustees of Utah State University and was a director of the

Commercial Bank of Utah. He was an active member of the LDS Church all his life.

His wife Edna died February 3, 1951. He married Mrs. Eva Bonner Jensen on April 28, 1952, in the Mesa LDS Temple. Mr. Montgomery passed away suddenly in the evening of July 18, 1952, of a coronary embolism, at the age of 63 years.

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—Submitted by W. Neil Muir

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## Chairpersons' Message



*We, on behalf of the Fairboard, wish to welcome you all to the Heber Valley Fair Days. We have worked hard to, hopefully, be able to present to you a program that you will be able to enjoy and be proud of.*

*Come and join us during Fair week and participate in as many events as you are able to — you will catch the "Spirit" of the Mountain Magic found only in our Valley by rubbing shoulders with your friends, neighbors, and visitors through participating in the many wholesome activities you will find described in our Fair Book.*

*A special thanks to our Commissioners, Fairboard, and Chairpersons, who worked very hard to give you the Mountain Magic of Heber Valley Fair Days. 1990*

*Thanks,  
Jim and Laural North*



Mar. Maria L. Grow April 27, 1856, at Salt Lake City (daughter of Henry and Mary Grow of Pennsylvania). She was born Sept. 10, 1838. Their children: James A., m. Mary Ann Lee; Robert R., m. Julia A. Montague; Eliza, m. Samuel Judd; Almira, m. John F. Chidester; Mary E., died; Henry Grow, m. Laura Cameron; Sarah Louisa, m. John Henrie; Maria, m. Ernest Hancock. Family home Panguitch, Utah.

Married Jane Osborn Feb. 4, 1865, at Salt Lake City (daughter of Elizabeth Osborn of England). Their children: John Franklin, m. Rosella Montague; Frederick, m. Minerva Reynolds; Osborn, died; Elizabeth S.; Ruth, died; Rhoda, m. John Lee; Millie J., m. Erandon Shakespeare. Family home, Panguitch, Utah.

Veteran Echo Canyon campaign. Stone and brickmason; farmer. Died Feb. 2, 1888, Panguitch, Utah.

WORTHEN, WILLIAM H. (son of Samuel Worthen and Sarah Hallam). Born Dec. 24, 1847, St. Louis, Mo. Came to Utah in 1850.

Married Nancy E. Keele Dec. 25, 1868, New Harmony, Utah (daughter of Thomas Keele and Mary A. Jolly, pioneers 1852, ex-team company). She was born Jan. 15, 1853. Their children: Sarah b. Dec. 21, 1869, m. Wyatt Bryan; Mary L. b. Sept. 2, 1871, d. aged 3; Susan E. b. May 12, 1873, m. Joseph Nelson; William S. b. Feb. 17, 1875, m. Magdalene Westenskow; Frances Britanna b. Dec. 8, 1876, m. Charles Aldridge; Nancy Viola b. Nov. 25, 1878, m. Edward Olsen; Laura A. b. Sept. 25, 1880, m. Fred Olsen; Joseph R. b. Sept. 8, 1882, m. Minnie Petersen; Alice b. July 2, 1884, m. Hyrum Bernsen; Maud b. May 18, 1886, m. Thomas Thompson; Thomas b. March 17, 1888; Rhoda b. Feb. 17, 1890, m. Ervin Olsen; Kata b. Aug. 1, 1894.

High priest; Sunday school superintendent; president Y. M. M. I. A. 12 years; Sunday school teacher 30 years; president elders quorum six years. Veteran Indian war. Justice of peace 8 years; president town board; treasurer town board 6 years; school trustee 9 years.

WRIE, EVAN (son of Thomas Wrie and Ann James of Monachdy Farm, near Cardiff, Wales). Born Feb. 17, 1843, at Llantrissant, Bach, Wales. Came to Utah Sept. 2, 1868, William B. Preston company.

Married Martha Ann Jones June 29, 1868, at Llantrissant Church, Llantrissant, Wales (daughter of Benjamin Jones and Margaret Davies of Cardiff, Wales). She was born Dec. 31, 1839. Their children: Thomas William, m. Rosetta Peay; Evan David, John Henry and Margaret Jane, three died; Mary, m. Edwin Andrew; Benjamin, m. Sarah Jepperson; Angus, m. Harriet Clinger.

Married Phoebe Truelove Ward Feb. 16, 1887, Logan, Utah (daughter of Thomas Ward and Mary Monk of Provo, Utah, who came to Utah in October, 1890). She was born Sept. 1, 1860. Their children: James Alfred, died; Ernest, m. Sylvia Shepard; Martha Elizabeth, m. Henry Peter Anderson; Fern; Barrington; Elwyn; Evan, died; Ann; Sarah. Families resided Provo, Utah.

Member 34th quorum seventies; missionary to Wales 1879-80; superintendent Sunday school; first counselor to Bishop Loveless; high councillor Provo stake; upon the death of Loveless was made bishop of the ward; special missionary in Springville three months.

WRIGHT, ABRAHAM REISTER (son of William E. Wright and Mary Kite of Philadelphia, Pa.). Born Aug. 18, 1811, Philadelphia. Came to Utah Nov. 2, 1856, Smoot and Eldredge company.

Married Mary Ann Brockerman Nov. 14, 1833, Philadelphia, Pa. (daughter of William Brockerman and Catherine Rudy of Philadelphia). She was born March 18, 1816. Their children: William, m. Emma Yearsley; Amanda M., m. Charles H. Bassett; Hannah A., m. David Candland; Abraham Reister, Jr., m. Lucy Wardrop; John R., m. Susan Bethel; Isaac K., m. Henriette Wall; Charles H., m. Annie Galloway; George W., m. June Welch. Family home, Salt Lake City.

Member 30th quorum seventies; president of seventies 13th quorum; missionary to Pennsylvania; ward clerk; block teacher. Freightier; photographer; merchant. Died July 1, 1889.

WRIGHT, ABRAHAM REISTER, JR. (son of Abraham Reister Wright and Mary Ann Brockerman). Born July 10, 1842, Philadelphia, Pa. Came to Utah with father.

Married Lucy Wardrop June 7, 1862, at Salt Lake City (daughter of John Wardrop and Lucy MacIntosh of Nauvoo, Ill., pioneers Sept. 10, 1852, Bryant Jolley company). She was born Dec. 10, 1843. Their children: John R. b. March 24, 1863, d. aged 17; Charles H. b. Feb. 6, 1865, m. Alice V. Phillips; James W. b. April 13, 1867, m. Jennette Gibson; Joseph b. Aug. 9, 1869, d. aged 11; Edwin b. Aug. 7, 1871, m. Katie A. Pettitt; Lucy M. b. Sept. 25, 1873; Alma B. b. Nov. 22, 1875, m. Alice M. Hooper; William W. b. Oct. 13, 1877, d. infant; Samuel D. b. April 3, 1879, d. aged 19; Mary A. b. Sept. 20, 1881, m. James S. Noall; Thomas b. Sept. 13, 1883, d. infant; Clarence A. b. Aug. 21, 1886, m. Rachel L. Terry. Family home, Salt Lake City.

Missionary to eastern states 1893-94; president 30th and 13th quorums seventies; high priest; block teacher. Member Nauvoo Legion. Member volunteer fire department 10

years. Assistant architect on Salt Lake t. Builder and contractor.

WRIGHT, JONATHAN C. (son of Peter Wright and Beth Shead of Rome, Oneida Co., N. Y.). Born 1808, Rome. Came to Utah Oct. 13, 1850, Edward company.

Married Cynthia Martin (Nicholls) Dec. 23, 1851, Lake City (daughter of James Martin and Miss A. of Oswego county, N. Y.). She was born in 1818. children: Willard, killed by Indians, aged 16; Cynthia, m. Amasa M. Lyman, Jr.; Henry Nicholls (son by first marriage). Family home Brigham City, Utah.

Missionary to eastern states 1842; first counselor to Lorenzo Snow; president Box Elder stake. Probate judge; county clerk; county recorder; prosecuting attorney; member territorial legislature 21 years. Farmer. Died Nov. 8, 1880.

WRIGHT, JOSEPH (son of John Wright and Grace Shephard of Bubwith, Yorkshire, Eng.). Born Dec. 25, 1817, Bubwith. Came to Utah Sept. 23, 1849, Orson Spencer company.

Married Mary Ann Fryer of Lincolnshire, Eng., Jan. 4, 1857, Salt Lake City (daughter of William Fryer and Ann Colton). Their children: John M. b. Jan. 21, 1861, m. Emma Hinton June 16, 1885; Anna M. b. March 8, 1863; Hyrum F. b. Oct. 27, 1865, m. Elizabeth S. Pratt Dec. 28, 1887; George W. b. Feb. 23, 1867, m. Laura J. Morris Jan. 23, 1889; Zina F. b. Oct. 9, 1869, m. Daniel A. Morris Dec. 20, 1893; Edwin F. b. March 26, 1872, m. Cora C. Peterson Nov. 7, 1894. Family home Duncan, Utah.

Member 22d quorum seventies.

WRIGHT, JOHN M. (son of Joseph Wright and Mary Ann Fryer). Born Jan. 21, 1861, Mill Creek, Utah.

Married Emma Hinton June 16, 1885, St. George, Utah (daughter of John N. Hinton and Emma Spendlove), who was born at Virgin City, Utah, May 27, 1868. Their children: Wallace Hinton b. April 24, 1886; Joseph Moroni b. Nov. 27, 1887; Mary Ann b. April 14, 1889; John William b. Dec. 25, 1890; Spencer Hinton b. Dec. 7, 1892; Genevieve b. July 4, 1894; Zina b. Feb. 20, 1896; Mina b. Feb. 26, 1898; Lanthus b. Aug. 2, 1899; Bernard B. b. Oct. 21, 1901, d. infant; Vernell b. June 12, 1905; Chester E. b. Oct. 29, 1906; Lawrence Leone b. Feb. 22, 1909; Glade Mervin b. Oct. 15, 1911.

One of seven presidents of 21st quorum of seventies. Farmer and stockraiser.

WRIGHT, JOSIAH ATWELL (son of Martin Wright and Dolly Benjamin). Born Aug. 10, 1805, Trenton, Middlesex county, Conn. Came to Utah in September, 1852, Joseph Outhouse company.

Married Susan Buell April 6, 1830, Westbrook, Conn. (daughter of Oliver Buell and Polly Wilcox of Westbrook). She was born March 29, 1810. Their children: Albert Atwell; Wilson Andrew, m. Aurella Stoddard; Henry Alexander; Susan Eliza; Gilbert Josiah, m. Annie S. Odell; Adeline Amanda, m. Chauncy W. West; Susan A., m. Frank Brown, m. Joseph Parry; Hyrum Smith b. Nov. 10, 1849, m. Jeanette Kay, m. Mary Ann Fidler; Juliette. Family home Ogden, Utah.

High priest; ward teacher. Taught school in Kaysville ward. Moved to Ogden 1855. Farmer. Died Aug. 4, 1896.

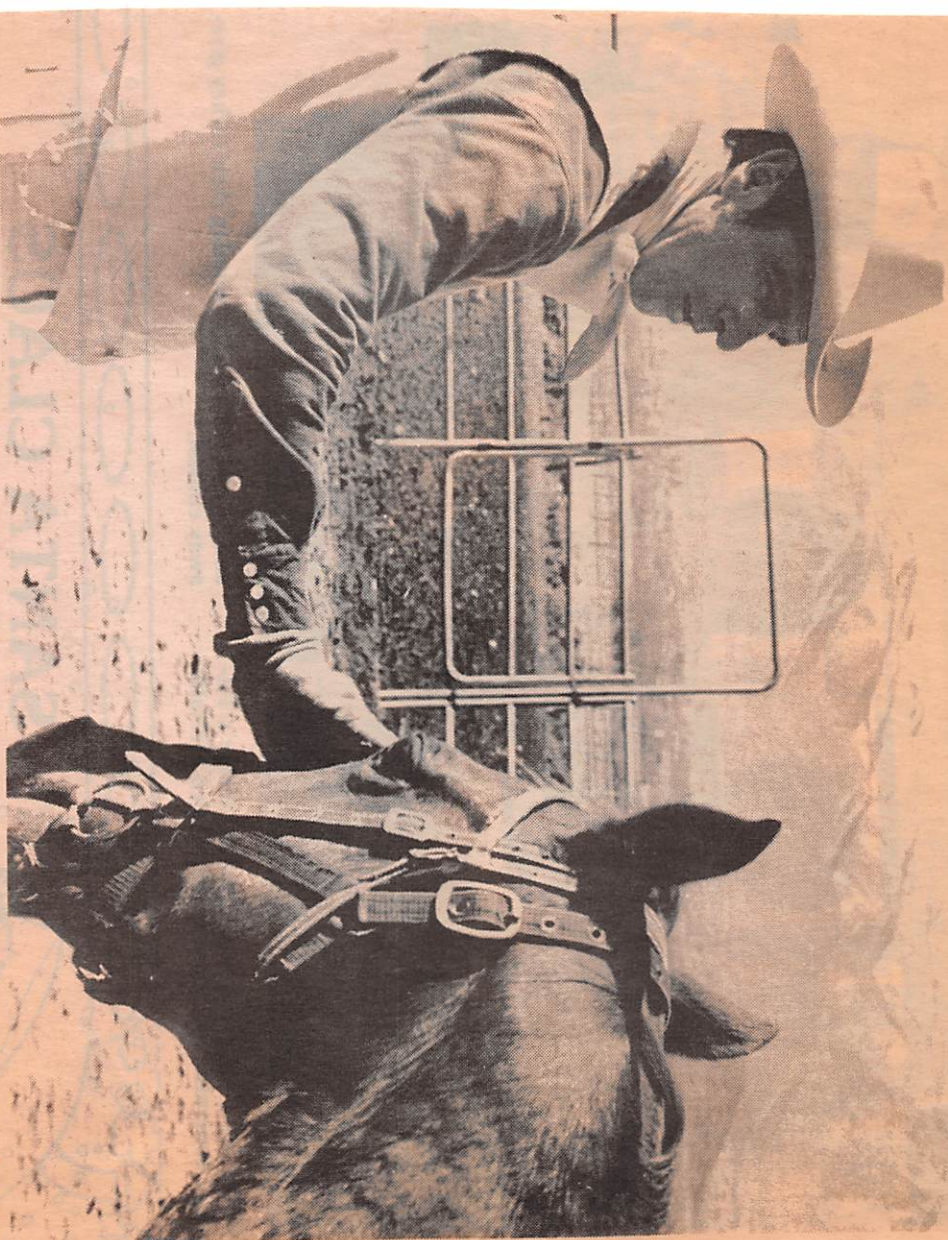
WRIGHT, GILBERT JOSIAH (son of Josiah Atwell Wright and Susan Buell). Born May 14, 1838, Horse Hill, Conn. Came to Utah with father.

Married Annie S. Odell Jan. 1, 1866, Ogden, Utah (daughter of Thomas George Odell and Ann Newman of London, Eng., pioneers Sept. 13, 1861, Homer Duncan company). She was born March 27, 1847. Their children: Gilbert George b. Sept. 23, 1866, m. Matilda E. Bailly; Annie Isabelle b. Nov. 27, 1868, m. Albert Greenwell; Charles Oliver b. May 27, 1870; Eugene b. Aug. 5, 1872, m. Caroline E. Smith; Lester Thomas b. Jan. 10, 1875, m. Edith Wallace; Adeline b. Nov. 2, 1878, m. Cleney St. Clair; Geneva Odell b. Nov. 4, 1883, m. Orson Arnold Snow. Family home Ogden, Utah.

Member 60th quorum seventies; ward teacher; assistant Sunday school superintendent. Member Ogden school board. Assisted in publishing first edition of first daily newspaper in Ogden. Called to Salmon River to assist in protecting the settlers against Indians; major on staff of Chauncy W. West in Utah militia. Worked on Southern Pacific railroad with his teams and was present at the uniting of the Union Pacific and Central Pacific. Early settler in Snake River valley, Idaho. Merchant. Died March 25, 1908, at Idaho Falls.

WRIGHT, HYRUM SMITH (son of Josiah Atwell Wright and Susan Buell). Born Nov. 10, 1849, Clinton, Conn. Came to Utah with father.

Married Jeanette Kay. Married Mary Ann Fidler Dec. 28, 1882, Ogden, Utah (daughter of Samuel Fidler and Ann White of Arnold, Nottinghamshire, Eng.). She was born Aug. 5, 1863. Their children: Wallace Albert b. Oct. 7, 1883, died; Annette



"Eight out of 10 times I'm thinking of horses," says Ben Quinters. He refuses to be called a horse

breaker, preferring the title horse teacher instead. He has yet to meet a horse that couldn't learn.



### Anne W. Ritchie

Heber—Anne Whiting Ritchie, 82, died peacefully on Thursday, February 26, 1987 of natural causes.

Born in Wallburg, Wosatch County March 14, 1904 to John C. and Elizabeth McCord White. Mrs. Ritchie was married to Clyde Ritchie on January 18, 1933 in the Salt Lake LDS Temple.

Anne served on LDS Mission in the North Central States from 1926 to 1928. She served her church faithfully as teacher, primary president, YWCA, Relief Society, and stake board of the Relief Society. She spent many years of her life with key roles in her own productions both in the Heber Valley and while attending Brigham Young University. She will be best remembered for the ability she had with growing, arranging, and showing of plants and flowers. Anne will be deeply missed by all who knew her.

Survived by: husband, Heber City, three sons, Heber, Don, Milne, and Alvin; one daughter, Mrs. Terry (Diane) Hunsaker, Grantsville; 15 grandchildren; one brother, Dr. Frank M. Whiting, Salt Lake City.

Services will be Monday 11:00 A.M. at the Heber 3rd - 7th Ward Chapel, 240 East 400 South, Heber. Friend may call one day before services 4:00 Sunday Morning to 6:00 Sunday. Burial, Garden of Eternity Cemetery, UT 2/28



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JOHN M. AND SARAH  
ELIZABETH WRIGHT RITCHIE



John M. Ritchie was born October 30, 1867 at Heber City, Wasatch County, son of John Ritchie and Sarah McAfee. Married Sarah Elizabeth Wright November 4, 1891. She was born August 27, 1869, daughter of William Wright and Jemima Dands Wright. John died October 8, 1938. Sarah died January 17, 1958.

John M. Ritchie was the eldest of a family of eleven. The family moved to Charleston when he was young where he lived the rest of his life. The family made a living by selling butter and grain at Park City.

He attended the BYU also the University of Deseret and was a teacher in the District School at the age of 24, when he married Sarah E. Wright.

It was New Years day 1897 when he left on a mission to Australia leaving his wife and two small children for two and a half years.

The railroad in this valley was near completion and he was appointed the first express agent. He was elected the first mayor of Charleston.

His living was made from farming and livestock. He was recognized as one of the outstanding horse breeders of the intermountain region. One of his hobbies was horse pulling contests which he often engaged in and won his share of honors.

Most of his time was spent in public service. He served on the County and State Fair Boards for many years. He was county commissioner in charge of roads and

pioneered the first grading and shaping of roads with the borrow-pit in this county. Finding that horse drawn equipment was not adequate, he purchased through the county, the first caterpillar and heavy duty grader.

He was one of a committee that fought for a high school when there was much opposition to it. He staged a one-man fight in Charleston to persuade the people that it should be built in Heber and not on the prairie.

He served Charleston Ward as Bishop for 31 years.

He was a great organizer, a man of much foresight and ability.

When a small child, Sarah, with her parents, and seven brothers and sisters moved to lower Charleston. Her mother died with the ninth child and her father married Mary Baum to whom 16 children were born.

Her childhood days were spent milking cows, cooking, herding sheep, making soap, knitting sox and tending babies.

She attended her father's school in the old McAfee Shop one mile from her home and later three and a half miles to Charleston, walking most of the time.

When 17 years of age she began working in the Charleston Store, owned by her brother-in-law, Joseph R. Murdock, where she worked until her marriage to John M. Ritchie.

She spent 25 years working in the Presidency of the Relief Society, sewing for the dead, and preparing them for burial, cooking for ward parties and entertaining as wife of a bishop for nearly 30 years. Her home was the stopping place for traveling troupes, tramps, salesmen, church and state officials.

John and Sarah were the parents of eight children: Mable, Lacy, Vera, Elden, Clyde, Horace, Verdell, Relva.



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JOHN M. RITCHIE, a native son of Utah, prominent farmer and stock breeder of Wasatch County and bishop of the Charleston Ward of the Wasatch Stake, is a prominent representative of a family which has been identified with the civic, industrial and religious progress of this section of Utah since pioneer times.

Bishop Ritchie was born in the Heber community of Wasatch County, October 30, 1867, son of John and Sarah (McFee) Ritchie. His father came to Wasatch County in 1863, and from 1867 was a resident of the Charleston district. He was a hard worker, a high minded citizen, and lived to a very ripe old age, passing away at Charleston in February, 1932, in his eighty-ninth year.

The pioneer public schools of Wasatch County afforded John M. Ritchie his earlier education. Later he took the young men's course and the commercial course in Brigham Young University

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at Provo, and for two and a half years was a student at the University of Utah. Mr. Ritchie in 1892 began teaching at Charleston, but since 1894 his primary attention has been directed to his growing agricultural and live stock interests. He had specialized in the breeding and raising of fine cattle and horses and his Percheron horses and Hereford cattle have a reputation all over the state. His prominent position as a live stock man received special recognition in 1930, when he was appointed a member of the board of trustees of the Utah State Fair. In 1932 he became president of the Wasatch County Fair Board.

Mr. Ritchie has been a man of tireless public spirit in community affairs. He was the first president of the Charleston Township board and has continued an active member of this board for many years. He has also served for a number of years as township trustee and for twelve years was a member of the board of county commissioners, serving as chairman of the board four terms. During 1897-99 he was absent from his native state on a church mission to Australia. On returning in 1899, he became a counselor to the bishop of his home ward. He filled that position for five years, when he was made bishop of the Charleston Ward, which position he still holds.

Bishop Ritchie married in October, 1891, Miss Sarah E. Wright, daughter of William Wright of the Charleston district. Mrs. Ritchie is a popular worker in her church and community and for eighteen years was counselor to the president of the relief society.

To the marriage of Bishop and Mrs. Ritchie were born nine children. Mabel, who passed away April 30, 1931, was the wife of William H. Hinlin, of Charleston. Another daughter, Vera, died about a year after her marriage, and the son Joseph William died in infancy. The living children are: Lacy, wife of Robert Nowers, of Beaver County; Elden, who married Miss Beth Murdock, of Heber; Clyde, who in 1930 completed a church mission to the State of North Carolina, and is now active in business in Wasatch County and president of the Young Men's Mutual Improvement Association of the Charleston Ward; Horace, on a church mission to Samoa; and Verdell and Relva, who are still



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